

PROJECT

**The StationService application : An original platform conceived
to protect its users from the various inconveniences
that thousands of fuel card holders experience
every day in the world**

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1 - 1 Objective

In order to protect its users from several inconveniences that countless fuel card holders experience every day, the **StationService** application conceived for the operation of this project will be multi-platform and highly secure.

2 - 1 The Highlighting of few inconveniences inherent in the use of fuel cards

Considering that thousands of people around the world lose their fuel cards every day, and that many others forget them and only realize it halfway to the gas stations... we can say (without having to invoke other facts) that using fuel cards is a stopgap.

Far from being an idea for perfecting fuel cards, so that it is no longer possible to forget them somewhere or lose them (which is proving to be a utopia), the present document proposes a novel solution based on the use of cell phones, computers and terminals.

2 - How it works

In each service station where it will be possible to make purchases using the **StationService** application, it will be necessary to build a more or less multimedia room. This room will be equipped with computers, and terminals for fuel card holders. In the same room, any customer who does not have a fuel card, for any reason whatsoever, will be able to pay for his purchases using either his mobile phone (preferably a smartphone), or a computer connected to the Internet that will be made available for this purpose. In both cases, as soon as the customer accesses the application, he will be guided through the payment process. Once payment is made, an agent will issue a receipt to the customer to allow him to be served.

In short, the **StationService** app will offer its subscribers several payment options, so they are almost never in a dead end. Each subscriber will be able to pay for his purchases using :

- Either a terminal ;
- Either his mobile phone ;
- Or a computer

The feasibility of this project cannot be called into question, given that operating the **StationService** application will require current technology which takes into account the use of cell phones, computers and terminals ; and which, until now, has benefited companies such as **Visa** and **Mastercard** very effectively.

In addition to its originality, the **StationService** application will be able to offer its subscribers all the services of fuel cards that, among other things, guarantee limitations in terms of geographical areas, quantities, days of the week, etc. Focusing on this example, it is important to note that the limitations in question will be the basis of computer programs that each subscriber could conceive. On the other hand, thanks to computer programming, each subscriber will have the opportunity to implement programs that will certainly be to his liking.

Thanks to computer programming, as in the previous case, each subscriber of the **StationService** application will be able to attach a sub-account to his account; what will enable him to make term deposits. Each term deposit will be used for purchases and not for withdrawals.

3 - Good to know:

To highlight the originality of this project, and therefore that of the **StationService** application, it is enough to invoke few arguments based on the following framework :

- 1) Novelty ;
- 2) The latent indifference of the public... ;
- 3) The specific nature of the **StationService** application's operation

While it is not necessary to dwell on the novelty of the project, which is indisputable, as no such initiative has been envisaged until now, we would say, as far as the public is concerned..., that this is, in essence, a work of creativity which, in terms of Intellectual Property, could be described as an inventive step. In a word, this work was necessary not only to tear the veil off the public's indifference to several inconveniences inherent in the use of fuel cards, but also to conceive the present initiative.

The operation of the **StationService** application, as described in this document, in the last paragraph of its first page and in the first paragraph of this one, meets the objective of the project which is a wise and very advantageous management of gas stations. In addition, the construction of the «multimedia» rooms being planned for the realization of the project, it can be rightly said that the **StationService** application will be original.

Notes: It may not be superfluous to specify that this project concerns all types of fuel. Moreover, the NGO **Greenpeace**, which advocates for the protection of the environment, will benefit up to a maximum of **40%** of the expected royalties. So, it will receive money in principle from polluters (oil companies), in order to intensify its struggle. Far from being an admission of powerlessness, this will be to embrace the enemy to choke him...



A fuel pump

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